

CLAIMS

Kindly amend claims 3, 5-9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18-20, and add claims 23-37 as shown in the following Listing of Claims. The following Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1. (original) A package including a gas and an at least partly foamable liquid by means of which a refreshment can be prepared, characterized in that the package is provided with manually operable means with which a displacement of the gas and the liquid in the package can be effected such that foam formation occurs in the package.

2. (original) A package according to claim 1, characterized in that the means are designed for manually varying, at least as to shape, a package space for the liquid and the gas.

3. (currently amended) A package according to claim 1 ~~or~~ 2, characterized in that the means comprise a material designed so as to be flexible from which at least a part of the package has been manufactured.

4. (original) A package according to claim 3, characterized in that the flexible material is also elastic.

5. (currently amended) A package according to ~~any one of claim~~[[s]] 1[[4]], characterized in that the means comprise a bellows.

6. (currently amended) A package according to ~~any one of claim[[s]] 1[[-4]]~~, characterized in that the means comprise a piston which is included in the package and which can be operated from an outside of the package.

7. (currently amended) A package according to claim 1 ~~any one of the preceding claims~~, characterized in that the means comprise at least two mutually connected chambers between which the liquid and/or the gas are displaceable.

8. (currently amended) A package according to ~~any one of claim[[s]] 1[[-6]]~~, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

9. (currently amended) A package according to claim 7 ~~or 8~~, characterized in that the means also comprise a fluid flow disturber.

10. (original) A package according to claim 9, characterized in that the fluid flow disturber comprises at least one channel, constriction or grid located between the at least two chambers.

11. (currently amended) A package according to claim 9 ~~or 10~~, characterized in that the fluid flow disturber comprises turbulence means for causing turbulence in the fluid flow.

12. (currently amended) A package according to claim 7 ~~or 8~~, characterized in that at least one of the at least two chambers is at least partly filled with the gas.

13. (original) A package according to claim 12, characterized in that at least one of the at least two chambers is at least partly filled with the liquid.

14. (currently amended) A package according to claim 1 wherein any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that at least a part of the package is designed to be transparent.

15. (currently amended) A package according to claim 1 wherein any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that at least a part of the package is manufactured from a plastic sheet.

16. (original) A package according to claim 15, characterized in that the plastic sheet is provided with at least one cup-shaped part.

17. (original) A package according to claim 16, characterized in that the cup-shaped part can be pressed in for displacing the gas and the liquid in the package.

18. (currently amended) A package according to claim 17 wherein any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the liquid comprises an or concentrate.

19. (currently amended) A package according to claim 18 wherein any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the extract comprises a coffee extract.

20. (currently amended) A package according to claim 1 wherein any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the package comprises a provision for opening the package so that the at least partly foamed liquid and the package can be separated from each other.

21. (original) A method for obtaining foam in a package including a gas and an at least partly foamable liquid, by means of which foam a refreshment can be prepared, while the method comprises displacing the liquid and the gas in the package, characterized in that the method also comprises varying, at least as to shape, a package space for the fluid and the gas.

22. (original) A method for preparing coffee directly suitable for consumption and which is provided with a foam layer, wherein the method comprises using a method according to claim 21; separating the at least partly foamed liquid from the package; and adding a drinkable liquid such as, for instance, water to the at least partly foamed liquid.

23. (new) A package according to claim 2, characterized in that the means comprise a material designed so as to be flexible from which at least a part of the package has been manufactured.

24. (new) A package according to claim 2, characterized in that the means comprise a bellows.

25. (new) A package according to claim 3, characterized in that the means comprise a bellows.

26. (new) A package according to claim 4, characterized in that the means comprise a bellows.

27. (new) A package according to claim 2, characterized in that the means comprise a piston which is included in the package and which can be operated from an outside of the package.

28. (new) A package according to claim 3, characterized in that the means comprise a piston which is included in the package and which can be operated from an outside of the package.

29. (new) A package according to claim 4, characterized in that the means comprise a piston which is included in the package and which can be operated from an outside of the package.

30. (new) A package according to claim 2, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

31. (new) A package according to claim 3, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

32. (new) A package according to claim 4, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

33. (new) A package according to claim 5, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

34. (new) A package according to claim 6, characterized in that the means are provided with at least two separate parts which each comprise at least one chamber and which are connectable to each other.

35. (new) A package according to claim 8, characterized in that the means also comprise a fluid flow disturber.

36. (new) A package according to claim 10, characterized in that the fluid flow disturber comprises turbulence means for causing turbulence in the fluid flow.

37. (new) A package according to claim 8, characterized in that at least one of the at least two chambers is at least partly filled with the gas.